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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 30, 2007

Dear Sir:

With regard to the matter captioned above, Applicants respectfully submit a "Response Under 37 CFR 1.111 to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 30, 2007".

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# RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1,111 TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 30, 2007

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In Response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 30, 2007, Applicants herein provide:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and
  - Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

As the three-month shortened statutory period for reply expires on November 30, 2007, this Response is therefore considered timely filed.